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For: A SEMICONDUCTOR TRANSISTOR)
HAVING A STRESSED CHANNEL)

Commissioner For Patents
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time to file a
Response to the Office Communication mailed on March 29, 2004. The extended
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Respectfully submitted,
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